# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
# LOK SABHA

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Financial Assistance to OBCs through NBCFDC
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**Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:**

(a) the details of the financial assistance provided by National Backward Classes Finance and Development Corporation (NBCFDC) to the persons belonging to OBC category during each of the last three years and the current year, Scheme and State-wise including Rajasthan; and

(b) the criteria for providing such financial assistance?

## Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
(SHRI KRISHAN PAL GURJAR)

(a): The details of the financial assistance provided by national Backward Classes Finance and Development Corporation (NBCFDC) to the persons belonging to OBC category during each of the last three years and the current year, Scheme and State-wise including Rajasthan is attached herewith as Annexure-A.
(b): The criteria of providing financial assistance by NBCFDC are as under:
(i). The beneficiary should be from Backward Classes as notified by Central /State Governments from time to time.
(ii). The annual family income of the beneficiary should be less than double the poverty line i.e. should be less than Rs. 1,20,000/- per annum in urban areas and Rs. 98,000/- per annum in rural areas.